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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Wednesday's Daily. It has been some time since Dr. Hollister visited our city; but he will be with us on Friday of this week.

Mrs. Evans, mother of Lee Evans, of Mosier, died yesterday morning at that place. No particulars as to her death were received.

The laundry steamed up today and by tomorrow will be running at full speed. Now is the time to encourage home industry and cease sending laundry away from the city.

The board of equalization is in session, but, thanks to the good work of the assessor, they find little to do. No doubt, however, "kickers" will be making their appearance about the time taxes are to be collected.

Restaurants in many places throughout the state are coming up in their prices when it comes to a meat order on account of the advance in the price of meats. In Salem 5 cents extra is being charged on all meat orders.

Today has been a perfect day for collection day, and if collections had not been so good as reported, many who are shut up in an office from one such day till another would have been content with the amount of sunshine collected.

E. C. Pease is moving into his elegant new home on Fourth street today. This is perhaps the most complete and handsome residence in the city and is an ornament to the town. Dr. O. D. Doane will occupy the residence vacated by them.

In his lecture on "Oregon in the Philippines" tomorrow evening, Capt. Wells will speak especially of Co. L, our home company. Views of the company on the firing line will be thrown on the screen. Go and hear what our boys did, and how they acted under fire.

If the ladies want to see the very newest thing in street hats and some of the very nobbiest and most stylish trimmed hats, they can do so by calling at Mrs. Phillips' store this evening. She has just received the goods from San Francisco. Step in and look at them. 21

At 8 o'clock last evening at the Columbia Hotel, H. G. Cody and Myra H. Hughes were united in marriage by Rev. U. F. Hawk. At the close of the ceremony a wedding supper was served and a general good time enjoyed by the most intimate friends of the bride and groom.

The nights are beginning to feel wintry and Jack Frost will soon arrive to take up his winter quarters here. He visited Tygh Valley night before last and bit the garden truck, but not so hard that much damage was done, for most of the more tender vegetables had already been gathered.

One week from today at 11 o'clock a. m., the marriage of Miss Lorene Lee, daughter of J. D. Lee, superintendent of the state penitentiary, and C. H. Henman, of Ellensburg, will take place at the home of the bride in Salem. Miss Lorene formerly lived in The Dalles, and has many friends here who will join in the good wishes extended to her.

At the home of Dr. Belle Rinehart tomorrow evening, Prof. Lundell will reorganize the ladies' vocal class. Particular attention is given to reading music and part singing. Any ladies who may desire to take up study along this line are invited to be present from 7 till 8 o'clock this evening.

Our public schools now number 741 pupils, an increase of 61 over the first day's attendance. The increase since the opening day has not been so marked as in former years, from the fact that the bad weather caused most everyone to return home from summer cuttings before school opened.

Herbert Henry Payne, who died at his father's home, in Portland, went to Manila as a member of company G, Second Oregon, and owing to exposure, contracted the cold which caused his death from quick consumption. He passed three months in the hospital at Manila, and returned home last April. His age was 23 years.

The committee on fire and water, to whom was referred the dangerous condition of the old laundry building, should endeavor to have the ruins removed, not alone for the safety of all whose business calls them in that direction; but because it presents such a bad appearance and must be an eye sore to those who pass by on the trains, giving them a bad impression of our city.

Not only because it will be a splendid opportunity to hear the principal events of the Philippine campaign rehearsed, should there be a large attendance at Capt. Wells' lecture tomorrow evening; but because the speaker was the brave captain of Company L. It would almost seem an insult to him who was so good an officer; and so much beloved by our boys, to be greeted by a small atten-

dance; the Vogt should be crowded on the occasion of his appearance.

Frank Whitney, who was found in a d. d. condition yesterday in the vicinity of Joe Berger's residence and arrested, was discharged this morning. Indian Charley, the young boy who was found literally hid behind a bottle of whiskey yesterday spent last night in jail, and then paid \$2 for his lodging this morning. Phirman found a minor in an intoxicated condition last night, and the youthful offender was given two days in jail this morning.

A gentleman who visited The Dalles recently said, "Everything runs to business here," and truly this must be the case, if we judge by the opinion evidently held by a little girl who carried on the following conversation with her mother Monday when passing by a certain cemetery. She said: "Mamma, is that a graveyard?" "Yes, dear." "Well, mamma, can you read the advertisements on them stones?" One of the physicians suggested she must have thought they advertised some patent medicine.

The sheepmen and all interested in the sheep industry will meet in convention tomorrow morning at the club rooms at 10 o'clock. There should be a large attendance, as the question of forest reserve is to be discussed and the means to be used in order to protect one of the greatest industries of the state. Representative Tongue will be present, also Capt. Ormsby, O. E. Farnsworth, of Heppner, Mr. Lagrove, of Walla Walla, Hon. Williamson, of Prineville, and other leading men, so that the meeting cannot fail to be one of much import.

Gov. T. T. Geer yesterday granted a restoration of citizenship to I. V. Howland, of The Dalles, who was discharged from the Oregon penitentiary a year ago. Howland was committed from Wasco county about two years ago, having been convicted of the crime of larceny by bailee, and sentenced to serve eighteen months. Efforts were made in his behalf, and, after he had served eleven months, his sentence was commuted by Gov. W. P. Lord. Since securing his liberty he has led an upright life and, as he desired to be restored to citizenship so as to enable him to prove up on a homestead, friends interested themselves in his case, and urged the governor to extend a full pardon to the young man. The petitions were endorsed by the trial judge and the district attorney, both of whom state that the case is a deserving one. The restoration was sent out by mail yesterday.—Statesman.

Thursday's Daily. We understand this afternoon that flour has advanced twenty-five cents a barrel.

Next Monday the hour for departure of the D. P. & A. N. boats will be changed from 8 till 7 o'clock.

Geo. C. Blakeley was again elected secretary of the state board of pharmacy which met in Portland Tuesday.

The international yacht race seems to be off more days than one. Again today the elements were "agin' em" and the race declared off.

There are rumors that a change in the time card of the O. E. & N. trains will go into effect on the 15th of this month. What the changes will be has not yet been made known.

A social dancing party will be given by the Rathbone Sisters this evening at their hall. A large number of the dancers of our city have received invitations and will be in attendance.

Mr. Wheelon is determined that the mines of our section of Oregon shall not be slighted, so took with him to Spokane samples of the splendid John Day country ore, which are being exhibited there at the exposition.

The Thirty-fifth regiment embarked last evening at Portland for the Philippines. While the enthusiasm was not so great as that displayed when the volunteers left, they were given a rousing send-off and crowds thronged the streets and along the route of the parade, and much favorable comment was heard concerning the appearance of the soldier boys.

Among the eight applicants in the supreme court Tuesday for admission to the bar, and who were examined as to their knowledge of the law, was Forrest S. Fisher, of this city. Forrest is a most young man, and if he carries the same zest into the practice of law, which he has displayed in all other undertakings, he cannot fail to make a success of his profession.

At the request of a large number of the members of the club the band will repeat the concert given at the school yard last Sunday, tomorrow evening at the club. We understand that the ladies who frequent the club are especially invited to be present and enjoy the music. Friday evening is the regular time for rehearsal and this will take its place.

Gov. T. T. Geer left Tuesday for Chicago, where he will be the guest of the city at the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone of the new post office building next week. It is expected that nearly every governor of a state or territory in the United States will be in Chicago at that time, as will be President McKinley, with his cabinet and many other notables from the United States and neighboring coun-

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tries. Gov. Geer was accompanied by Col. James Jackson, of his staff, and other members of the staff may join him in a day or two.

What a relief it is to see a force of men at work cleaning up our streets. It would be more satisfactory, however, if we could feel that the effects of their labors would be seen for at least a few days. In other words that the business houses would see fit to do their part in keeping them in a respectable condition; but it's the same thing over again, and no sooner are they cleaned up than all sorts of refuse cover them in a few days.

O. C. Yocum, of Government Camp on Mt. Hood, is making his first visit in Portland in five years. He is now building a two and a half story hotel at the camp containing 16 rooms, and has the outside about finished, and will amuse himself finishing the inside this winter.

One thing The Dalles has long been in need of is a singing class, where old and young will have an opportunity to learn to read music and obtain the drill so necessary to successful singing. Prof. Lundell has organized a class among the ladies which will cover that want, and will meet once a week at the home of Dr. Rinehart. The charges are very reasonable and will admit of anyone taking lessons. A number have already joined, but parents should arrange to have their daughters who have good voices, but no training, attend and receive the benefit derived.

The recorder of Temple lodge No. 3, A. O. U. W., informs us that their lodge recently received a set of beautiful screens for what is called the "screen work" in their ritualistic exercises, and have secured a valuable lantern with which to show them. The screens were a present from D. C. Herrin, Grand Master Workman for Oregon. The lodge has work in the Workman degree this evening at 7:30, and all members who fail to attend will miss seeing one of the finest things in the state. It is to be regretted that it comes on the same night as the lecture by Capt. Wells, as all want to go and hear him, but promptness will make it possible to attend both.

Friday's Daily. Geo. Prather, of Hood River, is now a notary public.

Deeds were recorded in the clerk's office today conveying from Maximilian Vogt and Philippine Chapman to the Very Rev. Adelhelm Oedermt, two large and valuable tracts of land, one situated in Crater's Donation Land Claim and the other on lower 15-Mile.

Doug. Langille came down to Hood River from Cloud Cap Inn last Sunday evening. He said the late storm was quite severe on the mountain. Snow fell to the depth of eight inches on the level, and the wind piled it up in great drifts about the hotel. The Inn will soon close for the season.

Tomorrow at her home in Weiser, Idaho, will occur the marriage of Miss Verne Lytle to Mr. Catron, who is engaged in buying wheat at Wasco. On Sunday they will return to Wasco, where they will make their future home. Miss Lytle has many friends here, who are anxious to extend their best wishes.

Mrs. Rev. Harris, wife of a former pastor of the Congregational church, has been in the city several days visiting friends, the guest of Mrs. Ben Johnson.

her list to 31, and the latter in Salem December 27th 28th and 29th. Wasco county is included in the eastern division and programs for the meeting have been sent to all teachers. It is not, however, likely that many teachers from our county will attend, the distance being much greater than to Salem, where the western division meets, and the expense so great. Then, too, the date of meeting is not so convenient for attendance as that of the later, which will be held during vacation week. Judging from the excellence of the program any who may find it convenient to attend cannot fail to enjoy themselves and be benefited thereby.

OREGON IN THE PHILIPPINES. Capt. Wells Told All About His Experiences, and Illustrated His Talk With Views. As is usual in The Dalles everything comes at once, and so last night on the occasion of Capt. Wells' lecture there were several other attractions on hand. But in spite of this fact, the brave captain of Company L was greeted by a large audience, perhaps as large as ever greeted a lecturer in The Dalles. His was an exceptional subject, however, appealing to the sympathies and patriotism of all, and so when the speaker stepped on the stage at the Vogt he received loud applause.

A screen had been stretched across the stage, which was, however, scarcely large enough to show the views from the stereopticon in their entirety, and for the first time since the captain started to give his lectures, the machine caused some trouble, making a portion of the pictures indistinct, though some of them were beautiful. The views which he carries are certainly well chosen and very interesting. Beginning with a picture of our own company taken in front of the club rooms the day they left The Dalles, the series illustrated every step through the campaign, making his talk very real and giving all a more lucid idea of what our soldiers passed through: If any had an idea that the Oregon volunteers had an easy time, they must have changed their minds after seeing views taken as they waded rivers, marshes; thickets and rice fields and stood in the thickest of the fray. Many times deafening cheers were given as heroes and thrilling scenes were displayed.

Although not a fluent orator, Capt. Wells is an unassuming speaker, and tells of their experiences in just such a simple manner as one wants to hear to understand and appreciate his subject, taking no credit to himself, although we all know of his career, but giving our own boys their share of deserved praise. The last view thrown upon the screen was perhaps the most clearly cut and to the eyes of all Oregonians, certainly the most beautiful, for while other scenes were most interesting, this we could claim as our own, a legacy from Nature and one which was obtained without bloodshed or war. We refer to Gifford's view of Mt. Hood, which cannot be excelled.

At the opening of the lecture Messrs. Landers, Northrup, Doane and Lundell rendered a patriotic quartet, which was so well received that they were compelled to answer to an encore, when they gave "Annie Laurie" in a splendid manner. Paint your house with paints that are fully guaranteed to last. Clarke & Falk have them.

Notice to Tax Payers. The Board of Equalization is now in session, for the purpose of equalizing assessments. This is the proper time for all persons to see that their assessments are properly made and entered on the roll. The board will be in session until Saturday night, Oct. 7, 1899. After this if no application for a change is made, the tax roll will be placed in the hand of the sheriff for collection as returned by the assessor. Robt. Mays, County Judge.

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